UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA SOUTHERN DIVISION

In re:) _	
Assignment of Certain Bankruptcy Cases in the Southern Division)	Administrative Order No. 04-2
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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER ON PROCEDURE FOR ASSIGNMENT OF CERTAIN BANKRUPTCY CASES IN THE SOUTHERN DIVISION

Rule 9029 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure authorizes this Court to establish and promulgate local rules of practice and procedure not inconsistent with the Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and subject to the requirements of Rule 83 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

- 1. Any case filed by the same Debtor within twelve months of the date of entry of an Order of dismissal or of discharge of a prior case, shall be assigned to the same Judge from the prior case.
- 2. Any case filed by the same Debtor within twelve months of the date of closing a prior case, shall be assigned to the same Judge from the prior case.
- If any such case has been assigned by the random and automatic Judge assignment and is inconsistent with this Order, the Clerk's office shall reassign the case consistent with this Order.

Dated this the **22nd** of ______, 2004

BENJAMIN COHEN

Chief United States Bankruptcy Judge

Chief Officed States Bankruptcy Judge

TAMARA O. MITCHELL United States Bankruptcy Judge THOMAS B. BENNETT

United States Bankruptcy Judge